



# Botanical Fused Tile

Create beautiful hand painted tiles or add detail to your fused works with the use of liquid stringer medium and powdered frit.

## Materials:

- #X200 White Fusible Glass
- #X100 Clear Fusible Glass
- #40900 Liquid Stringer Medium
- #XF22641 Amazon Green Powder Frit
- #XF1801 Dark Green Powder Frit
- #XF2301 Orange Opal Powder Frit
- #XF26721 Sunflower Opal Powder Frit
- #12921 Applicator Bottle Set



## Instructions:

- Cut one 4" square of white fusible glass and one 4" square of clear fusible glass. Clean glass of any residue, rinse with clear water and dry.
- In a mixing cup add equal amounts of powdered frit and Liquid Stringer Medium. Fill each of the applicator bottles with one of the four different colors of frit mixture. Tip: Consistency should be thin enough to flow from the applicator bottle yet thick enough to hold some shape.
- Draw free form flower petals in orange on the 4" square of white fusible glass. Then create orange dots to form the center of the flower and dots fanning outward.
- Next add the yellow dots to the center of the flower and accent the dot fans. Tip: By mixing the yellow frit thicker the dots will stand out more from the others.
- With the dark green frit mixture, outline the leaves and curls. Fill in the interior of the leaf with the Amazon green frit mixture. Tip: Mix the Amazon green frit a bit thinner to allow it to flow and fill in the dark green leaf outline.
- Place this tile on top of the clear fusible glass and allow to dry completely before firing.

## Firing Schedule - Full Fuse

Three Segments

1. Ramp 300° per hour to 1100°. Hold 10 minutes.
2. Ramp 400° per hour to 1450°. Hold 15 minutes.
3. Full to 960°. Hold for 60 minutes.

The recommended firing temperature for liquid stringer medium is 1350° and above. This tile was fired to a full fuse but could also be fired anywhere in this range.

**\*Firing times and temperature may vary, each kiln is unique.**